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JAPAN MUST KEEP PEACE

Considers the German Menace in Siberia
Direct Threat Against Far East

(By Associated Press) London, March 2.—The Reuter dispatch has issued a statement from an authoritative Japanese in London, as to Japan's situation in the east. He said: "Japan has issued no suggestion regarding any action that may be necessary as a result of the Russian situation. The plan first announced a few days ago was that Japan had inquired of the Allied Government for an expression of their view on the latent development in Russia. There has been no move, military or otherwise, by

Japan. It is pointed out that Japan did not enter the war under any agreement that should suggest that they wanted more territory in the minds of the Japanese."

"The German menace in the east is a direct threat against Japan and it involves the welfare of that country. Japanese interpretation of her position is that she is responsible for the security of peace in the far east. A German menace has existed in the east in Siberia even before the late Russian development and it is a situation that must be met with force."

NORWAY TALKS WITH UNITED STATES

(By Associated Press) Christiansand, March 2.—A new wireless station just erected at Stavavero, has succeeded in communicating with an American station during the trial. Regular trans-Atlantic service will be arranged as soon as consent can be secured from the United States. Stavavero is on an inlet of the North Sea and 300 miles from the nearest American station.

VON MEYER IN CRITICAL CONDITION

(By Associated Press) Boston, March 2.—The illness of Hon. George Von Meyer, former diplomat and former secretary of the navy, who is ill at his home here, continues today to be in a critical condition. Dr. Henry Jackson, the attending physician, after visiting the patient today, said that he had rested a little more comfortably during the night, but that he was still critically ill.

\$1000 Buys double house on Charles street; rents for \$14 per month. Fred Gardner, Glebe Building.

Parcel post rules have been amended.

TORPEDOED VESSEL MAKES BRITISH PORT

An Atlantic Port, March 2.—The British freight steamer Manhattan, of 8,000 tons gross, was torpedoed but remained afloat while in convoy of warships and other American and Entente merchantmen a few weeks ago. It was announced yesterday, by the owner, the Atlantic Transport Company, that the ed to take increase in weight.



ATTRACTIVE HOUSE DRESSES

are of special interest just now where the price of materials for home sewing have advanced so rapidly. The materials for these garments were purchased long before the advanced prices of today were in effect. That's why with the low manufacturing cost and perfect fitting qualities they are so attractive. Made from pretty stripe percales, ginghams and chambrays in very attractive styles.

House Dresses \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.98

Bungalow Aprons and Dresses.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.98

Geo. B. French Co.

GERMANS CAPTURE 12 AMERICAN PRISONERS

Berlin Claims That They Inflicted Heavy Casualties in Attack on the American Position

PASSENGER SERVICE CUT ONE THIRD

Washington, March 2.—Passenger train service in the west will be reduced one-third or more by a rearrangement of the schedules to be announced shortly by Director General McAdoo.

Scores of trains on competing lines leaving and arriving at terminals at about the same time and all unnecessary trains will be eliminated. All locomotives and crews taken from these trains will be used in the movement of freight.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Generally fair tonight and Sunday, warmer tonight on the mainland with wind becoming southwest.

Sun Rises.....6:19
Sun Sets.....6:35
Length of Day.....11:16
High Tide.....1:58 a.m. 2:21 p.m.
Moon Rises.....10:36 p.m.
Light Automobile Lamp at.....6:06 p.m.

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(By Associated Press) Berlin, via British Admiralty Wire- less Press, March 2.—In a German attack northeast of Schleswig yesterday, the Americans suffered heavy casualties and lost twelve prisoners when the Germans penetrated the American trench.

The Germans penetrated the lines east of Rethmow in an attack and the Germans forced their way into the Fort Rethmow which had been destroyed by heavy artillery fire.

A BIGGER, BUSIER AND BETTER
PORTSMOUTH, KITTERY, ELIOT, YORK,
NEW CASTLE, RYE, NEWINGTON

Plans Contemplate Expansion in All of These Towns

Readers of the Herald are beginning to realize that there are going to be big doings and they have had no doubt of just what was going on and what was being done along the business growth of our industries. With the opening up of the plants along the river and the rapid growth at the navy yard. The Herald's predictions as to the prosperity that would some day come to Portsmouth and her sister towns have been fully realized. The boosting spirit inculcated into our citizens by this paper has caught the world. Let's make it unanimous and pull together.

Portsmouth can and will do things, our shoulders to the wheel.

3 AMERICANS ON GERMAN PACIFIC RAIDER

Capt. Cameron and Family
From U. S. Schooner
Buluga; Treated Well.

(By Associated Press) Copenhagen, March 2.—John Cameron, captain of the American schooner Buluga, his wife Mary, and four-year-old daughter, of San Francisco, were the only American prisoners on the Spanish steamer Igota-Mendi, which was run ashore at Jutland while attempting to gain a German port. Captain Cameron said that the Germans treated the prisoners well until a Japanese escaped and then all of the prisoners were confined below decks for 28 days.

NAVAL TUG MARINER LOST

Officers and Crew Saved and
Landed; Formerly the
Jack Scully.

(By Associated Press) Washington, March 2.—The Naval tug Mariner was lost in a heavy gale

Feb. 26, the Navy Department announced today. All of her officers and crew were rescued and landed at a port yesterday.

The Mariner was formerly the Jack Scully of the Neptune Line and was taken over by the navy last September and commissioned in December after \$3,000 had been expended on repairs. She was a wooden craft of 220 gross tons.

SUNK GERMAN SUBMARINE

(By Associated Press) Washington, March 2.—Benjamin Groves, a chief gunner's mate in the navy, was today commended by Sec. of the Navy Daniels for his zeal and efficiency on Jan. 14, when in command of the armed naval guard on the American steamship Nyanza, he sunk a German submarine which attacked the steamship. The battle lasted two hours.

NEXT WEEK'S WEATHER

(By Associated Press) Washington, March 2.—Weather predictions for the coming week issued today by the weather bureau are that there will be rain or snow about Tuesday. The temperature the first of the week warmer, and the last of the week cool. Generally fair weather.

If you want to buy or sell real estate see Fred Gardner, Glebe Building.

FORTRESS KIEV HAS FALLEN

Ukrainian Stronghold Held By Bolsheviks Taken By Germans

(By Associated Press) Berlin, via British Admiralty Wire- less, March 2.—The Russian fortress of Kiev in Ukraine has been captured by Bolsheviks and was being held.

GARAGE BURNED AT CAMP DEVENS

Four Army Trucks and Two
Automobiles Destroyed.

(By Associated Press) Ayer, Mass., March 2.—Fire early today destroyed a large one-story wooden building at Camp Devens used as an automobile garage. Four army trucks and two automobiles were destroyed in the fire. The fire is thought to have started from a defective wire.

\$3000 Buys double house on Melcher street. Fred Gardner, Glebe Building.

The McDougal Kitchen Cabinet



Built for convenience, durability and economy. Helps to Hooverize. Every woman should have one of these labor saving cabinets in her kitchen. No extra steps to and from the pantry, everything at your fingers' ends to cook with. Everything is handy; dust-proof and mouse-proof cake and bread box. The best built cabinet on the market. Reasonable prices. Step in and let us demonstrate our line, and explain our easy terms of payment.

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SHIP BOARDS TO SEIZE HOTELS AND HOUSES

(By Associated Press)

Washington, March 2—Before proceeding with construction of housing for shipyard workers of the Shipping Board, it was announced tonight, will commandeer all available empty houses, apartment houses and residences in cities near where ships are being built. In this way it is expected to supply accommodations for thousands of workers.

The \$60,000,000 housing bill signed today by President Wilson authorizes the board to commandeer not only houses and land but transportation systems as well. It is entirely likely that land on which houses are to be built will be commandeered in most instances to prevent speculative prices.

KITTERY

Kittery, March 2—The Amateur club met on Friday evening with Miss Hilda Hale of Oslo, Norway.

The Girls' Patriotic League meets on Monday evening with Miss Helen Chesley of Government street.

A saw mill operated by Hobson & Young has been placed on a woodland bought by Willard Chick of North Kittery and will begin operations on Monday. Three camps have been erected.

Miss Hazel Wasgatt of the Rogers road is assisting at the local post office during the absence of the postmaster.

Charles T. Trahan of Lulu avenue has been called to Farmington, N. H., by the death of his uncle, Mark Trahan.

Master Newton Andrews of Kittery Depot is out after an illness.

Mrs. Charles Kelly of Tennessee has returned to Kittery and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Bridges of the Post road.

Mrs. Perley Chick of North Kittery is out after an illness.

The Alpine Campfire Girls are in Portsmouth this afternoon collecting the boxes of the Belgian Relief fund.

The prayer meeting of the First Methodist church was held Friday eve-

SCHOOL NOTICE

The Shapleigh School at North Kittery will open Monday.

LEON R. SPINNEY,
Supt. of Schools.

KITTERY POINT

Kittery Point, March 2—Mrs. Frank Getchell very pleasantly entertained the members of the K. F. C. Embroidery club at her home last evening. After the evening was passed in sewing the hostess passed a dainty luncheon.

Mrs. Charles Patey is quite ill at her home with the grippe.

Captain Fred Chase of Boston is spending a few days in town with his family.

Miss Julia Duncan of Kittery who has been ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Walker, of this place, is fully recuperating.

Mrs. Arthur Storer and children have returned to their home after visiting relatives in Oxford, Me., for three weeks.

Joseph Wilham suffered an ill turn with his heart while at his work in the navy yard on Friday afternoon and was conveyed to his home in the navy yard ambulance.

Mr. P. T. Bailey has returned to his home in Newport, R. I., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Patch for two weeks.

The Willing Workers were pleasantly entertained all day Friday by Mrs. Florence Davis.

Mr. A. O. Hall who has been very ill for months now.

Mrs. Nancy Weeks is seriously ill at the home of her son Lewis Weeks from the effects of a bad fall which she received recently.

Congregational Church
Rev. John A. Waterworth, pastor.
11. Morning service Topic, "The Supreme Gain."

Free Baptist Church
10.45. Morning worship; sermon by the pastor, Rev. E. W. Cummings. Topic, "Don't Let the Fires Go Out."

12. Sunday school.
7. Evening service.

First Christian Church
11.45. Junior Christian Endeavor.
12.30. Sunday school.

2. Afternoon service, Rev. Perry Caswell of Portsmouth will occupy the pulpit.

7. Evening service.

The B. G. club was very pleasantly entertained by Miss Alice Patch on Friday evening. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

RYE

Rye, March 2—There will be no services next Lord's Day at the Congregational church; its usual meetings will be held with the Christian church where in the morning, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed.

I wish to hereby express my appreciation to friends in Rye for the sum of money and articles contributed to myself and family in our recent misfortune and especially to the pastor of Rye Christian church for his untiring zeal and business acumen so willingly and satisfactorily exhibited.

You can always depend upon me for quality.

Builts and Top Costs from \$15 up.

WOOD THE TAILOR

Makers of Quality Clothes.

United States Commissioner Burns Hougham of Concord was here on Friday and heard a botching case. The man was discharged for want of evidence.

A busy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Burn's Regulets (39c per box) act mildly on the liver and

the bile.

The boys of the Dover High school

will go to the Three Rivers Farm of

E. W. Collins again tomorrow, where

they expect to complete their work in

the campaign which they have been

working on for over a year.

The state administrators are trying

to get the school system to do more

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AMERICANS INFILCT HEAVY CASUALTIES ON HUN RAIDERS

(By Associated Press)

American Army in France, March 1.—American troops in a desperate hand-to-hand encounter with German troops in a big attack at Toul in which number of Americans were killed including some officers, one of the grade of captain, a graduate inst. Jules of West Point. Ten German bodies were left in the trenches and the ground in front of the trench was strewn with German bodies and three prisoners were taken. Their casualties must have been very heavy.

In this same sector the American artillery have been taking revenge for the gas attack of the first of the week and they have completely demolished the German positions with masses of shrapnel.

In addition to the fighting at Toul the Americans are working with the French at Chemin des Dames where, according to a Berlin report ten Americans were taken prisoners. In an attack upon the village of Chavigny it has been known for some time that the Americans were in the Chemin des Dames sector but the German report for the first time places their exact position.

A few more Americans have been taken to the base hospital suffering from gas poisoning. They were not in the attack but ventured into the danger zone without their masks and the gas was still in the shell holes and low lands. The total figure for the gas attack were six killed and about eighty effected, only one of whom is serious. The Germans had been preparing for this attack for three weeks and they were part of the 7th division from Hanover. The prisoners had Russian coils on their person and they had come from the eastern front. The Americans lost many killed in

cluding officers, but displayed great personal courage and confidence and outfought the Germans. During the bombardment which accompanied the attack a town in the rear of the American lines was shelled with some casualties.

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tion of American participation with the Japanese in Siberia to the exclusion of other subjects.

Some authorities saw the possibility of a German plot to引诱Japan into an alliance with her on the claims that the two nations could control the world.

Those in favor of Japanese action felt that the presence of Japanese forces in Siberia would distinctly be beneficial and would act to hold back any German invasion or uprisings in that section.

The British ambassador, Lord Reading, called upon Secretary Lansing today to discuss the Siberian problem. It was understood he was informed the American position was not defined, but the tenor of the conference was unequivocal.

Shortly afterward Secretary Lansing went to the White House for a conference with President Wilson. The American decision is apparently influenced by a desire to ascertain Germany's probable intentions in Russia. With her drive slowing up, it is possible the United States will deem action in Siberia less advisable than otherwise, though a distinct Toulon menace will still cloud the east and near east.

Allies Use Pressure

Military men doubt the advisability of the move. Russian embassy authorities suggest that a lone Japanese move would cause trouble, and that if action is attempted it should be joint with a full statement of objectives in advance. Allied envoys are anxious for a decision, and there is a strong tendency among them to favor Japan's requests.

This pressure will probably force an earlier decision than might otherwise be rendered by this government.

Wilson Studies Question

Outward indications today were that the President was studying the question.

JUMPED HER BAI IN BANGOR

Maria Cargese, an Italian woman wanted by the Bangor police where she jumped her bail of \$2500 was arrested by the local police on Friday at a house on Market street.

She was under bail in the Main

city for enticing girls for immoral purposes and gave bail, but later jumped it. Officer Burke of the Bangor police came home Friday and returned with the woman.

Mooney still has a chance for his

IRATE FEMALES MIX IT UP IN THEATRE

The audience at a local picture house were greatly amused at the battles between two females during the performance on Friday evening. Mrs. "Wife" who was sitting in the gallery scolded Mr. "Husband" sitting with a lady friend in the middle of the theatre downstairs. After watching them for a time she decided that they were altogether too friendly. She promptly walked down stairs down the middle aisle until she came to the seat where they were sitting and then the began to fly. She grabbed Mr. "Husband's" lady friend and pulled her out of her seat and while in the process of tearing her clothes off administered several slaps that those sitting nearby can testify were not known as "Love puts."

In the confusion the lady friend got away and Mr. "Husband" also made good his escape. The "Avenger" left the theatre breathing hard but apparently satisfied that she had done as good a job as the limited time and space allowed.

MYRKLE-HARDER COMPANY

in "Common Clay" at the Colonial Next Monday Evening.

The Myrtle-Harder Company, who

are to be at the Colonial all of next

week, will present six of the latest and best Metropolitan successes of the

year. The opening play will be the

sensational American drama, by Cleo

Kinkaid, "Common Clay," which ran

for a petition for a rehearing has

been made. Some time ago a special

mediation committee with Secretary

Lane, while in San Francisco made an

investigation of the case at the request

of the President and recommended to

the President that he have a new trial.

President sent Gov. Stevens a letter

in the matter but it never was

made public.

**THINKS
CENSORSHIP
ALL WRONG**

(By Associated Press)

An Atlantic Post, March 1.—Major General Peyton March, now chief of staff of the United States Army, arrived here today after nine months abroad as chief of artillery of the American Expeditionary Forces. He will go to Washington. Describing the American troops in France as "well-trained in modern warfare as we are able to handle themselves with entire credit to the United States," he said the censorship was "impairable"

and intimated he would advocate that the regulations in this respect be made less stringent, so that the people in America might learn as much as possible about the activities of the expeditionary forces. American officers in France could not understand the present censorship methods, General March said. He added: "I know of no gentle method of conducting a war of this magnitude and no army can expect not to have somebody hurt."

The American forces are remarkable for their morale and health," he continued. "They are keen about the game. Those on the battle line now, and the reserves, too, are so well trained in modern warfare that they can handle themselves with entire credit to the United States. I inspected the troops on the line just before I left France, and they are extraordinarily cheerful and contented, notwithstanding the mud and the German shells.

Their health is splendid. There is no sickness and there is better morale than there was at the Mexican border, where I was stationed before going abroad. The spirit of the Americans is splendid and every man is happy. A great many of the men like it as a joke, the majority never before having been outside the United States and some never even outside their own states. It is a great advantage to the men that everything is new and interesting to them; this serves to keep up their spirits."

General March was accompanied by Major Generals S. D. Sturgis and F. H. French.

General March said that he had not seen Major General Wood, but added that he was told by General Pershing, just prior to his leaving, that General Wood was rapidly recovering from his wound in the arm.

Dyspepsia is America's curse. To restore digestion, normal weight, good health and purity of the blood, use Burdock Blood Bitters. Bold at all drug stores. Price \$1.25.

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No calling is so honorable as service for your Country. Nothing brings greater rewards. He climbs highest who helps his Country most.

Honor and Serve America.

Proportionately every man is as

great as the greatest if he serves to his

fullest capacity. To do this is to grow

and grow only comes to the man of

Capacity. You who do your best to

day will do better tomorrow. To serve

you there is no limit.

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Honor and Serve America.

The truest fact in all this world is

that the more you do for your country,

the more you honor your own game,

the stronger your own individual character becomes. Suppose you try it out today and learn for yourself. Try whether you are in a place of power or in the midst of the humblest circumstances. Be real Servant to your Country. Enlist in the U. S. Naval Reserve Force. Serve. And be glad in doing it.

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And by so doing become one of the

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Democracy Fighting for Democracy.

A few days ago this paper touched on the subject of American democracy as represented in the most democratic of all forms of government, town meeting, and at about the same time this article appeared there was a very different and very striking illustration of the pure democracy of the greatest democracy on earth.

This was the review in New York city of the soldiers in training at Camp Upton on Long Island, only a few miles from New York. There were 10,000 men in the line, which was reviewed by high military officers and civic officials, and the spectacle was one to thrill the heart of every loyal American, no matter from what part of the world he or his ancestors came.

The soldiers were a healthy and hardy body of men and every movement showed the results of thorough training. But the striking feature was the mighty admixture of races in the ranks. A published account of the inspiring scene says: "Swarthy Armenians strode side by side with fair-haired Scandinavians; Irish boys rubbed elbows with Jews; Italians trudged beside Poles; here and there was a Chinaman, and here and there was a face that was typically Yankee. But every one of them was a citizen of the United States."

There was a picture that thrilled the hundreds of thousands of spectators, and well it might. There was a display of the flower of democracy preparing to fight the battles of democracy, and they will do it, shoulder to shoulder, as they marched through the streets of the metropolis on that winter day. In that imposing line all were Americans, and in the performance of their grim work on the battle fronts all will be Americans fighting for one flag and for the principle of freedom and the right to self-government everywhere on the face of the earth.

Democracy has its faults and its weaknesses because human nature is not free from faults and weaknesses, but as established and maintained in this country it is the best and most just form of government in the world. And while the United States has no intention or desire to force this form of government upon any other nation, it has drawn the sword in defense of the principles it represents and embodies, and that sword will not be sheathed until the iron rule of militarism shall have perished from the earth.

It is a privilege and a pleasure to live in such a democracy as ours, and it is a high privilege to fight for the principles it represents when the need arises. And the need is now at hand. The rule of "Blood and Iron" is attempting to pass its crushing and grasping hand over the face of the earth, but liberty-loving peoples everywhere rise as one and cry, "No!"

And in the unprecedented world struggle the greatest democracy in the world is bearing its proper part. Its armies represent all races molded into a harmonious whole, fighting under a flag that floats for the principles of national freedom and individual liberty.

It is something to be proud of. Such an army can not fail, and it will not fail.

A New Hampshire College professor urges the farmers of the state to help the country at this trying time by raising great quantities of apples. This is a crop that cannot be doubled up on short notice like corn, potatoes or wheat, but it is a very valuable crop, in time of war or peace, and the man who makes his orchard do its best will contribute in an effective way toward the increasing food supplies which is so greatly needed.

Chocolate is not the most important commodity on the market today, but it is highly prized by the soldiers and "the girls they left behind them," consequently the destruction of 1,000,000 pounds by fire in Pennsylvania the other day made anything but pleasant reading.

There are bills before the New York Legislature providing for statewide prohibition during the war, and also for state constitutional prohibition. If the state wants prohibition why does it not adopt the amendment to the national constitution and let it go at that?

There is a movement on foot to attach a department of education to the government, with its head occupying a seat in the president's cabinet. Possibly this might be a good thing, but to many it will seem that it could well wait till the end of the war.

The Germans claim that they have a surprise in store for the Americans on the western front when operations begin in earnest. But the "surprise" business is something which is liable to work both ways.

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When Germany Will Be Good

(From the Springfield Republican)
Germany refuses to accept President Wilson's principles on the explicit ground that England is not ready to apply the principle of self-determination to Ireland, Egypt and India. Let the British empire smash up like the Russian empire, let its naval bases be abandoned, let all possibility of resisting German demands be renounced and then Germany will be good. Listen to eloquent testimony as to just how good Germany would be.

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Fit For Hemp Neckties

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That dealers in army cloth were able through conspiracy with department clerks, to make illicit profits amounting in the aggregate to millions is not an amazing thing. Profiting is an inevitable in war as slackening. The only concern we need feel over the disclosures which have been made is what shall be done with them.

If the Government shall punish relentlessly the breach of faith, it has suffered, if every profiteer is put under compulsion to pay back all he has stolen plus, if the dealers who have abused the confidence shown them are removed from the market, the experience the Government has had will not be without its value.

We know just as soon as Uncle Sam began to buy goods in vast amounts that the profiteers would seek ways to beat him. We have discovered now the offenders we knew would be amongst us, and how they operated. We owe it to our country, to every American who is investing money in his country, to every soldier who wears the uniform

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Transforming Milwaukee

(From the Providence Journal)
Some gratifying news comes from Milwaukee, which for years has stood as one of the centers of German influence and population in the United States. The study of the German language in the grammar school grades of the city was very general up to last year. When the schools closed last June, the total enrollment in German courses was 30,588. Before the 1917-18 school year began, however, an arrangement was made by which it became easier for parents to secure the discontinuance of German study by their children. Previously a person visiting the school authorities had been required; now it was deemed that only a written note was necessary.

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PRICES: Eve. 50c, 35c, 25c, 15c
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TO STARVE OUT PETROGRAD

Germans Advancing on the Freight Center of Bologoie.

(By Associated Press)

London, March 2.—German forces are now moving on the town of Bologoie on the Moscow-Petrograd railroad. This is one of the most important freight centers for the feeding of Petrograd, says a dispatch received by the Exchange Telegraph. The Germans probably intend to cut the road at this point thereby cutting off the capital from supplies and secure the fall of the

ALL GRAND TRUNK FREIGHT HANDLERS QUIT

Toronto, March 2—All the Grand Trunk railroad freight handlers here, about 225 in number, went on strike today. They demand general increases in wages.

PROBATE COURT

The following business was transacted at the probate court held in Exeter on Tuesday:

Wills Proved—Of Sidney B. Colburn, Londonderry; Margaret A. Colburn, executrix; Edward G. Powell, Derry; Emma C. Powell, executrix; Mary Gordon, Exeter; Lucy A. Gordon, executrix; William F. Bullock, Derry; Emma J. Bullock, executrix; Albert Knipe, Chester; Arthur H. Wilecomb, executor.

Administration Granted—in estates of Jennie Leary, Portsmouth; John Leary, administrator; Eliza B. Sanborn, Hampton Falls; John F. Gynn, administrator; Eliza A. Gove, Raymond; Llewelyn J. Gove, administrator; F. Henry Bartlett, Derry; Gertrude S. Bartlett, administratrix; Edward E. Redman, Hampton; Lucy M. Redman, administratrix; Emma J. George, Kingston; John F. Brown, Newmarket, administrator, waiting bond; Thomas Noble, Portsmouth; Mary A. Folson, Lynn, Mass., administratrix; George A. Clough, Rye, Milbury; Clough, administrator; Charles Newell, Derry; Charles W. Newell, Haverhill, Mass., administrator, with Cora E. Newell, Derry, agent.

Accounts Settled—in estates of Julian A. B. Converse, Chester; Lillian E. B. Mitchell, Kingston; Winthrop N. Dow, Exeter, trustee's ninth; Alvin F. Towle, Northwood; George D. Richardson, Milwaukee, Wis.; Sally Chase, Epping.

Inventories Approved—in estates of Elizabeth E. Nesmith, Windham; Josephine G. Davis et al., Candia; Hollis N. Marden, Rye; Elsie Ann Swan, Epping; Henry L. Morgan, Hampton.

Laws Filed—Of heirs and legatees, estates of Jennie Leary, Portsmouth; Eliza B. Sanborn, Hampton Falls; Eliza A. Gove, Raymond; F. Henry Bartlett, Derry; Edward E. Redman, Hampton; Emma J. George, Kingston; Thomas Noble, Portsmouth; George A. Clough, Rye; Charles Newell, Derry; Sidney B. Colburn, Londonderry; Edward G. Powell, Derry; Mary Gordon, Exeter; William F. Bullock, Derry; Albert Knipe, Chester.

License Granted—to sell real prop-

erty, estates of Josephine G. Davis et al., Candia; David H. Hall, Candia; Nellie Fernand, Nottingham, to transfer stocks, estate of Annie H. Hewitt, Portsmouth.

Guardian Appointed—Mary E. Smith, Deerfield, over Dennis A. Brown, Northwood.

PERSONALS

Mr. J. March Hobbs is passing a few days in Boston.

Mrs. Mary McInnis of Bennett street is ill at her home.

Arthur G. Whittemore of Dover was a visitor here today.

Joseph P. Conner has been in Exeter the past three weeks.

Surgeon Grant of the navy yard has returned from Lewiston, Me.

Attorney Harold M. Smith has recovered from a week's illness.

President John K. Bates was out today after a two weeks' illness.

Gen. Supt. E. J. White of the Atlantic Corporation is in New York.

Mrs. Thomas Hogan of Cabot street, who has been ill, is much improved.

Fred Shapleigh of the Boston & Maine is enjoying a leave of absence.

Mrs. Blanche I. Fisher is making rapid recovery from her recent accident.

Engineer James A. Cory of the Boston & Maine R. R. has returned to duty.

Charles Nardini and family have taken one of the new homes in the Frenchman plot.

Frank Bohan of Orchard street who has been very ill with tonsilitis is improving.

The Misses Flynn left this morning for New York city to attend the millinery openings.

Ralph W. Junkins, teller at the First National Bank is restricted to his home by illness.

Rev. Henry R. Rose of Newark, N. J., formerly of this city, lectured at Portland Wednesday evening.

Col. A. F. Howard was in Concord Friday attending a meeting of the State Underwriters' Association.

Captain Lawrence of the Salvation Army went to Rochester to conduct special meetings this Saturday and Sunday.

Lieut. Chester L. Condon of Fort Leavenworth is now able to walk about the city. He may go to Texas to recuperate.

A letter from Fred Mogcroft from France, states that he and his comrades are all in fine shape and enjoying the best of health.

Mrs. Helen Horne of South Berwick has taken a position in the office of the Rockingham County Light and Power Company in this city.

Stanley Hammond who was accidentally shot in the left eye last week, has so far recovered as to resume his studies at the High school.

United States Commissioner Burns P. Hodgman, United States District Attorney Fred Brown with Deputy U. S. Marshal Flanagan were here on Friday.

Ira Newell, the once famous Portsmouth athlete, has entered the employ of the steel ship plant at Fremont Point, near that city.—Manchester Mirror.

Captain P. Roland Hoyl, U. S. M. C. has been granted a thirty days extension of his leave from his duties at Haiti, where he has had service for the past eighteen months.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Brown of Begawan announce the engagement of their daughter Ruth Olive, to Irving Fuller Kent of Portsmouth, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kent of Concord.—Concord Monitor.

The range of prices this year for the cars is from \$445 to \$8900.

All that is new in the accessory field will be found, but a canvass of the exhibits will bring out the fact this year, perhaps as never before, devices and attachments whose special function is to make the maintenance of an automobile a more economical proposition are a most conspicuous feature.

The motor truck department will hold an absorbing interest to the business man. There will be 56 different

makes ranging from a light delivery wagon to the huge ten ton trucks.

The truck display will be the last

in commercial vehicles. All of

the standard makers will have exhibi-

tions and every device that means econ-

omy in operation, or labor will be

shown. There will be a vehicle for

every kind of commercial use.

The problem of transportation is be-

coming more and more dependent upon

the gasoline or electric truck and

the exhibitors are looking forward to

a wonderful week of selling.

Scores and scores of luncheons at

which salesmen and other ex-

perts will infect "pop" into the sales-

Show week is reunion time for the

visitors.

trade and even though it is the busi-
test time of the year yet everyone
manages to squeeze a few hours out of
every 24 for some fun. The cafes and
hotels are alive to this fact and all
have arranged special programs for
the visitors.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Third Sunday in Lent.
Holy Communion, 8 a. m.
Morning prayer, 10 a. m.

Holy Eucharist, 10:30 a. m.

Sunday school, 12.

Evensong, 7:30 p. m.

The Rev. Malcolm Smith is expected

to preach Wednesday night.

AUTO SHOW OPENED TODAY

The sixteenth annual show of the Boston Automobile Dealers' Association opened in Mechanics Building Boston, this afternoon. It is a complete exposition of everything that is worth while in passenger cars, motor trucks and accessories. With over 350 exhibitors it is a remarkable demonstration of the resources of an industry in which America leads the world and which is so vital in the winning of the war.

The very large attendance in the early hours of the show indicate the usual great crowds will throng into the building. From a trade standpoint the attendance will be unusually large.

Thousands of agents from every corner of New England and hundreds of automobile officials from the great automobile manufacturing centers are here and the hotels are crowded.

The setting for the show is at once

beautiful and dazzling. The wealth of

color and the blaze of multicolored

lights combining the highest possible

art with the surroundings.

The magnificent scene work is the

production of the leading men of the

country from original designs. From

the immense proscenium arch and tor-

mentors the designer has worked out a

beamed effect of the ceiling that is alto-

gether different from anything pre-

viously attempted.

The balcony front presents a re-

peated design of Florentine, carvings

in dull gold and base reliefs between

which are decorative lamps and gar-

lands of the Italian order, backed by

rich old rose fabrics.

Bronze gales with semi-circular tops

are placed on either side of the main

main aisle. All are in first work of old

bronze, with beautifully modeled rel-

ief ornaments, flanked by corner posts

surrounded by lofty electrotypes. The

names of the exhibitors are inscribed

on the portals.

Prismatic fountains play in the cen-

ter of the main floor while the stage

front is rendered in a style completely

different from the former magnificent

displays and yet to the critical art stu-

dent more charming in treatment than

ever before. The approach to the stage

is under a curved marquee of crystal

and bronze effects, on the apex of

which a splendidly modelled figure of

"Hope" holds aloft with one hand the

gleaming torch of inspiration and

with the garlands of the

gold and colored lights.

Very few changes are to be noted

in the 1918 models and if the war

continues the types of this year will

be those of next, with refinements to

be seen. In many instances. Despite

increases in prices of cars the pres-

ent price is about \$100 less than the

average of three years ago.

A prominent mechanical change is

the increase of average wheelbase

from 113 1/4 to 120 3/4. Another is the

enlarged engine size, the average dis-

placement being 269 cubic inches as

against 222 last year.

Because of the war many of the am-

biginations of a year ago have not been

realized but each model exhibited has

some interesting points about it to

BRITISH LOSSES SMALLEST FOR MONTHS

(By Associated Press)

London, March 1.—British casualties reported during the month of February show a remarkable decrease as compared with the preceding months. They totalled only 18,991, divided as follows: men, 4012; missing—officers, 383; men, 4012; missing—officers, 48; men, 14,288.

The casualties for January reached a total of 73,017 for December they were 79,527, while in November in which month there was severe fighting on the Cambrai front, they totalled 129,089.

UNION CANNOT DICTATE

ANOTHER BOUT ADDED

As a result of the great interest in the boxing bout for Tuesday night, the Rockingham A. C. have added another preliminary bout. Two Filpont boys from the war ships at the yard. They are said to be very clever.

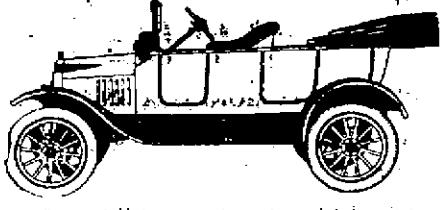
The great interest is in the main bout between Johnny Wilson and Pius Key Crosby, the navy champion. Wilson's reputation is well known and the men from the navy yard are backing their man to get the decision.

JOHN LANGDON CLUB

Mr. Arthur G. Pottenger of Manchester, secretary of the New Hampshire Children's Protective Association, will speak at the meeting of the John Langdon Club on Monday evening.

Read the Want Ads every day.

FORD THE UNIVERSAL CAR



Regardless of the price you pay for a Ford you cannot equal its value in five times the amount it cost you. There is no car in the world that has as many service stations with such a complete stock of parts as the Ford. This is one point in its favor that is becoming more and more important each day as transportation on the railroads grows worse. Just think of the other makes of cars that wait three and four weeks for parts. This trouble is eliminated when you buy a Ford.

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TRUTH SHOULD BE TOLD AT ALL TIMES

London, March 1.—Reference has often been made here to the harm done by withholding the truth from the public. Bonar Law gave a glaring example of this mistake when on Wednesday in the House of Commons he admitted that "the output of shipping in January and also in February" was very disappointing. We had already come to the conclusion that one of the best methods, perhaps the only method to put this right, is to let the people and the country, particularly the men in the shipyards, know the real position and how serious that position is. One of the main reasons why the tonnage losses have not been published is that we have not met with our Allies in this matter, who take the view it is better not to publish the information. We are taking up the matter again with them." This is followed by the blunt complaint of Mr. G. N. Barnes, Minister of Labor, who declared on Tuesday that in January less than one-half of the estimated output of shipping was reached. In February the position was no better. He appealed to the men to put their backs into the work, initiating that strikes "and shaking partly at least, caused the deficit." The newspapers are taking up the matter vigorously.

An Evening Standard writer says: "I ask why the country has not been told of this before. Instead of being treated to vaguely optimistic speeches regarding the tonnage problem? By the preservation of so much secrecy we probably have not deceived the enemy, who has spies everywhere, but do prevent public opinion exercising an enormous influence. No man or body of men can stand against the anger of a roused nation, and the best cure for labor troubles is the free, candid discussion of them. Whenever the fault lies the pressure of public feeling rarely fails to produce its effect. I see no reason why we do not have a settlement every month of the tonnage lost and new tonnage launched. The country would then know whether the enemy was being made up." Also there might be statements put out from each shipyard showing whether there had been an increase or the reverse, and why. The spirit of emulation would thus be aroused among loyal workers while the plague spots of pacifist agitation would incur the odium they deserve. The lack of information definitely has been the cause, partly at least of this serious material deficiency, and just at a time when glowing stories of tremendous efforts and enthusiasm in American shipyards are being printed here."

Another example of time wasted in discussion and public irritation is conveyed by the Pall Mall Gazette: "As an instance of belated publicity, the Cambrai stories now being released by the censorship could hardly be beaten. For months all that would have redeemed the affair from the mystery in which it was shrouded has been carefully concealed. Who is responsible for the absurd, preposterous secrecy that undermines public confidence?"

GRAHAM
CAPTAIN OF
N. H. FOOT BALL

E. Dewey Graham of this city was elected captain of the New Hampshire State football eleven at a meeting of the New Hampshire College Athletic Association held at Durham Thursday. Graham is a sophomore and has played guard on the varsity football team. He is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. New Hampshire club and Portsmouth club.

The New Hampshire College Athletic Association has voted to abolish all spring intercollegiate athletics. This means that all intercollegiate baseball and track will be abandoned.

Young Graham is the son of former station agent Graham of Newington, a graduate of the high school and gained his football training on the high school team.

DRAFT AMENDMENT BROUGHT UP IN SENATE

Washington, March 1.—The Administration amendment to the draft law

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event.

It took place in Portsmouth.

Not in some faraway place.

You are asked to investigate it.

Asked to believe a citizen's word?

To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence.

Then one you know nothing about.

Endorsed by unknown people.

J. S. Patch, grocer, 332 Pleasant St., Portsmouth, says: "A few years ago I had serious trouble with my kidneys. I tried very easily and my health got worse. Being on my feet so continually made the trouble worse. Doan's Kidney Pills gave me relief; they are an excellent medicine for such troubles."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pill—the same that Mr. Patch had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

to bring in men as they reach the age of twenty-one was brought up in the Senate today as emergency legislation for immediate passage, but finally was put over until tomorrow.

Without discussion the Senate passed another resolution authorizing the President to call into immediate military service skilled experts in industry or agriculture.

DRYDEN TO MEET KILONIS

Bill Dryden, who seems to be pestered by the wrestlers who are flocking here with their challenges, says that they will all have to wait their turn. He has arranged, for his next match, John Kubis, who on Thursday defeated Cyclone Ross in Boston and who on March 4th wrestles Mike Yokel the middle weight champion of the world at Atlantic City. Next in line is Cyclone Ross who has been defeating the best men in the country and later he is to take in turn Charles Metro of Clarence who is a wrestler of known ability.

This leaves Young Lundin, Brown and co., several weeks to wait before they will be even considered. These men, who seemed to have caught out here, have a queer idea of being able to force Dryden to meet them, but with the program mapped out and the Burns-Bark match for Monday night, the fans are satisfied that they will get the best.

There is a wide interest in the Cyclone Burns-Draak match at Providence's hall on Monday evening. These are the two best light heavy weights in the country and the match will be a wildish affair and one that should pack the house. It is a big match to pull off in this city and the fans appreciate Dryden paying the big sum that he has for the attraction.

A DAGGER IN THE BACK

That's the woman's dread when she gets up in the morning to start the day's work. "Oh! how my back aches," GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules taken today ease the backache of tomorrow—then every day ends the backache for all time. Don't delay. What's the use of suffering? Begin taking GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules today and be relieved tomorrow. Take three or four every day and be permanently free from wrenching, distressful back pain. But be sure to get GOLD MEDAL. Since 1890 GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil has been the National Remedy of Holland, the Government of Netherlands having granted a special charter authorizing its preparation and sale. The housewife of Holland would almost as soon go without bread as she would without her Red Dutch Drops, as she qualitatively calls GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This is the one reason why you will find the women and children of Holland so sturdy and robust.

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COUNTRY CLUB ASSEMBLY

The series of dancing assemblies for the members of the Country Club are to be resumed with the next one Tuesday evening at Pierce hall, with the Murdene furnishing music. While the annual Easter Ball had been given up owing to war conditions, the club will hold a dancing assembly, possibly on Easter Tuesday.

BOWLING

At the Arendt alleys on Friday evening Tobeys and Rand defeated Stafford and Welsh in a ten string match. Rand with 900 was the only one rolling well. The score:

Tobeys—22, 76, 74, 95, 83, 101, 90, 56,

80, 75, 87,

Rand—52, 97, 97, 92, 100, 98, 102, 100,

97, 95, 96,

Stafford—36, 100, 82, 102, 90, 81, 82,

84, 80, 88, 87,

Welsh—34, 86, 93, 89, 85, 101, 92, 83,

90, 83.

KAISER'S SCHOOL BOOKS ARE BANNISHED IN NEW YORK

New York, March 1.—Principals in New York city high schools today prepared to enforce a ruling of Dr. Gustave Straubmuller, acting superintendent of schools, forbidding the use of any German language text-books here tofors employed in the class rooms. Pictures of the Hohenzollern family, the words and music of "Deutschland über Alles" and inflammatory references to German rulers and their handling of governmental affairs are contained in the books.

NO TAX ON PAY FOR EMPLOYEES IN SERVICE

Washington, March 1.—Business men paying salaries of employees who entered the Army or Navy, or who serve the Government at nominal pay may deduct the amount in figuring income or excess profit taxes, the internal revenue bureau ruled today.

SEVERAL MEN AT EXETER WIN LETTERS

Hockey trophies have been awarded to the following Phillips Exeter Academy students: Captain W. S. Powers, '19; Manager E. M. Taylor, '18; Capt.-elect A. J. Conlon, '19; R. C. Gilroy, '19; W. E. Hunt, '20; A. Burgess, '20.

HERE AND THERE WITH THE SPORTS

Young Chakas, the Manchester lightweight boxer, will meet the best man of his class when he meets Eddie Wallace the Brooklyn lightweight at Greenfield, Mass., next month. The management of the Greenfield club gave Chakas his choice of boxing with Rocky Kansas or Wallace some time ago and he selected Wallace. Eddie Wallace is a real headliner. He has boxed every lightweight and featherweight of note in the country with but few exceptions. Benny Leonard, Willie Jackson, Johnny Dundee, Johnny Kilbane and Patsy Olin are numbered among his opponents. He got the decision over Willie Jackson in Boston, but later on Frankie Britt trimmed him. Cleverness is his best bet and should Chakas make even a half decent showing with him he will receive a big boost in the game.

Jim Londos, of Dayton, Ohio, heavyweight wrestler, who has been stopping in Lowell, Mass., has had the horn in the side of a lot of stars of the game. Although well under the 200 pound mark, he has held his own on two occasions with Strangler Lewis, once for 2 1/2 hours, and later for over three hours. He is a high type of Greek youth, very clever and powerful and his defense is so strong that even Lewis could not solve it, and had to content with a division of the honors on the two occasions they have met.

Packey McFarland, who is instructor at Camp Zachary Taylor, recently took part in a demonstration arranged at Frankfort, Ky., in the interests of the bill now before the Kentucky legislature. McFarland spoke in favor of the bill and boxed four rounds with an amateur.

Lieut. Edward D. Newell, U. S. N.R. who was lost when the naval tug Cherokee foundered off the Delaware Capes, in the gale of Tuesday was a nephew of the late Lafayette Newell of this city and well known here.

Lieut. Newell who was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Newell of Gloucester, enlisted in the navy the day that war was declared. He was only 23 years of age but a young man who had the knowledge of the art and after a brief course at the Boston training school he was granted a commission. His ability was recognized as was indicated by his being placed in command of the naval tug. He was married about eighteen months ago and his wife lives in Gloucester.

Charles Page of the Egleston bowling team of the Boston City League has been matched to meet Archie Walsh of the U. S. Naval Reserve at Jamaica Plain. The match will be rolled next Tuesday night. The entire receipts will be turned over to the Navy Welfare Fund.

Much interest is being shown in the coming basketball game between the Boston Navy Yard Flys and the Boston Marlines on March 13. The winner will be recognized as the champions of the First Naval District.

Eddie McGoarty, the well known middleweight boxer is anxious to stage a comeback and western promoters are after Joe Egan to meet McGoarty.

"Watch out for the Tigers to make a stirring bid for the American League pennant this coming season," writes Louis A. Dougher in the Washington Times. Mr. Dougher admits the White Sox are the favorites for the flag, but states that if Faber is drafted the Tigers will beat them out. Boston, of course, is picked to finish third.

Joe Wetling and Johnny Griffiths will meet in a 12-round match Monday night at Akron, Ohio.

Joe Egan of Boston is now on his way to Columbus, Ohio, where he will meet Bryan Downey of that city.

Two big deals have been made in the big leagues since Dec. 11:

December 11—Philadelphia Nationals sold Pitcher Grover Cleveland Alexander and Catcher Bill Kilifer to the cubs for \$50,000, and Pitcher Mike Prendergast and Catcher "Pickets" Dillon to the Cardinals.

December 14—Browns sold Outfielder Bert Sherrill and Infelder Dr. Ivan to Washington for \$15,000, and Pitcher Bert Gallia.

December 20—Phillies traded Outfielder Dode Paskert to the Cubs for Cy Williams, another outfielder.

January 4—Braves traded George Tyler to the Cubs for Larry Doyle and Catcher Arthur Wilson.

January 8—Giants traded Charles Horner to the Braves for Larry Doyle and Jess Barnes, the pitcher.

January 9—Brooklyn traded George Cutshaw and Casey Stengel for Pitchers Monahan and Grimes.

January 10—Athletics traded McInnis to Red Sox.

February 28—Cubs, Gardner and Walker go to Athletics in exchange for Melvin.

Bobby Keaton will meet Kid Dwyer in a wrestling match at Lewiston, Me., Saturday night. Keaton agreed to drop his man twice in an hour. Keaton, who weighs 115 pounds, recently challenged Bill Dryden. Part of

his challenge to Dryden read: "the bigger they are the harder they fall." Keaton is rated as a good man at his weight, but as for throwing Dryden—not a chance in the world.

Just when thoughts of the diamond are beginning to circulate, prompted by the springlike weather, King Winter bats in with a protest in the form of a little uncomfortable drop in the mercury. All of this interruption in the weather card is distasteful to all lovers of baseball who are anxious for the season to open.

Dr. Ben Roller, the wrestling king, who is considered one of the best men in the game, has returned to his profession, that of the physician. Dr. Roller turned from pills to the wrestling game, finding this business more profitable than writing prescriptions. He has earned for himself a



THIRD LIBERTY BOND NEXT MONTH

(By Associated Press)

IS NOT the time to decide to keep your car in our warm, convenient, modern garage—commence keeping it here now before your car's radiator and cylinders are ruined by the water freezing. You'll find our washing and polishing and other garage service first-class, and you'll find that our rates are very reasonable. Let's talk the matter over today.

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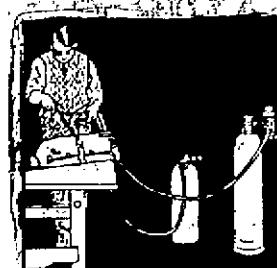
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If you do not save it by bringing your old clothes to us to be renewed and repaired, we can many times save you extra year's wear out of a suit you consider hopeless. Our cleaning department—let us never perfection and scientific knowledge and modern equipment can make it. In our dying department we make a specialty of taking out all work at two days notice.

SUSSMAN'S DYE HOUSE

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(By Associated Press)

Washington, March 1. The first anniversary of the United States' entrance into the war, will be taken as the date for the opening of the third liberty bond sale. See, McAdoo tonight announced that fact with the statement that the rate of interest, the amount of the issue and the convertibility will be decided later. That the amount will not be determined until additional legislation is secured. This would indicate that the issue will be for more than \$3,000,000,000 which is the balance of the bond issue that Congress has provided for. The sale of certificates of U. S. indebtedness bearing 4 1/2 interest indicate that the bonds will be at that rate.

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SUNDAY SERVICES

First Church of Christ, Scientist, No. 2 Market Street.

Services: Sunday morning at 10:45 and Wednesday evening at 7:15. All are welcome. Subject: Christ Jesus.

Sunday school at 11:50.

A free reading room is maintained at the same address, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or procured. Open to the public daily except Sundays and holiday from 2 to 4 p. m. Also Saturday evenings from 7 to 8.

Advent Christian Church

Hanover St.

Irving E. Barnes pastor.

10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Subject: A Priest Who Is Not Serving the Roman Church, or in the Jewish Synagogue, Who Is Not Working for Self or Money, but who Loves and Sympathizes with All.

11:30 a. m. Communion of the Lord's Supper.

12 m. Sunday school.

5:45 p. m. Junior Loyal Workers.

7:15 p. m. Twenty minutes of live gospel singing with special selections, followed by thirty minutes of live gospel preaching. Subject: The Sense of Taste, Depraved, Deprived and Otherwise.

Prayer meetings Tuesday and Friday 7:30 p. m.

Court Street Christian Church

Rev. Percy Warren Caswell, pastor.

Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10:30. The subject of sermon, "The Church—Its Builder and

Baptist Church

William P. Stanney pastor.

Visitors always welcome. Men of the Army and Navy cordially invited.

Morning service in the church at 10:30 with sermon by the pastor followed by the communion service.

Sunday school in the church at noon with classes for all including Men's Class.

Evening service in the parsonage at 7:30 p. m. Song service. Special selections. The pastor speaks upon Life's Fundamental Decision.

Monday, Young Men's Guild at 7:30 in the Guild room; Chaplain Rountree speaks. Refreshments.

Tuesday, Pastor's Conference class at seven in the study. Y. P. S. G. E. at 7:45 in the Guild room.

Wednesday, Boy Scouts, Junior Patrols at seven.

Thursday, Girl's Guild at 7:15 in the Guild room.

Friday, prayer meeting at 7:15 in the Guild room.

UNITARIAN CHURCH

Morning service in the chapel on Court street at 10:30. Sermon by Rev. Alfred Gooding.

Sunday school at 12 o'clock.

The choir will sing the following music:

Te Deum Buck

From Every Earthly Pleasure Shelley

In Proper Peace Morrison

North Congregational Church

Services resumed in the church building on Market Square.

Morning worship at half past ten o'clock with preaching by the pastor and followed by the communion service.

Evening worship at half past seven o'clock. For three Sundays evenings prominent ministers will preach. The speaker next Sunday evening will be Dr. H. A. Bridgman of Boston, who will speak on "Getting Religion."

Sunday school in the chapel on Middle street at the noon hour.

Young People's meeting in the Parsonage house at 6:30 p. m.

On the next three Friday evenings organ recitals will be given in the church at half past seven o'clock.

The John Langdon club meets on Monday evening.

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church

Rev. John L. Davis, Minister,

11 a. m. Covenant and Praise meeting.

12 noon. Sunday school in charge of Supt. H. B. Burton.

7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor, Deacon Robert Allen, vice president.

8 p. m. Peace by Pastor Davis. Subject: "Peace, Be Still."

Prayer and praise meeting Friday evening.

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Miller Ave.

Rev. P. J. Scott, pastor.

All services still in the vestry on account of the coal situation.

An earnest, homelike church with a welcome in Christ's name. Soldiers, sailors and strangers cordially welcomed.

The services are helpful and popular the vestry being normally filled to its fullest capacity morning and evening.

Sunday 10:30 a. m. Public worship, the pastor officiating.

12 m. Sunday school.

2 p. m. Popular Sunday evening service. This will be the regular monthly Sunday evening service of the Epworth League in which three speakers of the lady and the pastor will take part. This service is always one of special pleasure and profit. Note the hour—7 o'clock.

Friday 7:30 p. m. Regular mid week religious service.

Universalist Church

Dr. Dillingham pastor.

Services Sunday 10:30 a. m. Subject of sermon "A Father-in-Law's Advice."

Sunday school 12:00 m.

Y. P. C. U. 6:30 p. m.

Subject, "Man."

Christ Church—The Peace Church

Third Sunday in Lent.

Services: Holy Eucharist 7:30 a. m.

Holy Eucharist and Sermon 10:30 a. m.

Sunday School and Bible Classes 12 m.

Evangelism, Story of the Cross and Ser-

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North Congregational Church, Sunday, March 3

SERVICES RESUMED IN THE CHURCH.

Evening, 7.30—Dr. Howard A. Bridgman of Boston
Subject—"GETTING RELIGION"For the next three Sunday evenings there will be preaching by prominent
ministers.MECHANIC FIRE
SOCIETY
BANQUET

The quarterly banquet of the Mechanic Fire Association was held on Friday evening at the Hotel Rockingham, with Dr. C. W. Hannaford as the host.

It was the usual pleasant gathering and Manager Tatteo served an excellent menu.

OBITUARY

Mr. Walter Philbrick

Mr. Walter Philbrick, one of the best known, and respected citizens of Kittery passed away on Friday night at his home in that town, after an illness of a few weeks with pneumonia. He was a native of Kittery, born Oct. 1848. Although but a lad when the Civil War came, he enlisted when he was old enough. Due owing to his age did not get actual service. He learned the ship carpenter's trade at a time when the ship yard of the Piscataqua river, contained the best workmen in the country, and he worked at this trade for many years, first on some of the best of the old wooden ships and later at the navy yard being employed for many years as a ship carpenter.

He was a thorough, and faithful workman. Of late years he has been employed in the Boat Shop at the navy yard, where among his shop mates he was held in high esteem. He was a man of gentle and retiring nature, but a true friend and a good citizen and his death is a loss to the town.

He was a member of long standing of Riverside Lodge, I. O. O. F., and he leaves a wife and one son, Homer Philbrick of Kittery, a brother, James, also of Kittery, and one sister, Mrs. John E. Leavitt of Quincy, Mass.

Austin James MacKenzie

Died Feb. 28th at the Naval hospital, Arthur James MacKenzie, aged 17 years, 8 months, 14 days. The remains were sent to Albany, N. Y., Saturday morning for services and interment under the direction of O. W. Ham.

Harold Stephen Martin

Harold Stephen Martin, the 3-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael L. Martin, passed away yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, 39 Partridge street.

BOOTLEGGER
ARRESTED

Wallace England, charged with being a bootlegger, was taken to Concord this afternoon for a hearing before U. S. Commissioner Hodgman. He admitted selling liquor to enlisted men.

Some strong attractions are booked for this city next week, with the big wrestling bout on Monday and a night class boxing card for Tuesday, as well as other attractions later in the week.



Let joy and merriment reign in the home

Let the monarchs of song and laughter entertain your family with their melody and fun. Give them all the world's best music with a

Victrola

Patriotic music, opera, popular songs, and the frolic of the dance, all contribute to the home of joy and contentment.

Isn't there a place for a Victrola in your home? Come in and see how easily you can put one there. Victors and Victrolas \$10 to \$400, convenient terms.

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HOUSING WILL
BE PERMANENTTAKING OVER OF HOTELS WILL
ONLY BE TEMPORARY.

Any taking over of hotels or boarding houses in this section to house ship workers will be a temporary expedient only. The plans for Portsmouth and Kittery are of a permanent character. Homes that will meet with every requirement will be erected and rented or sold to the occupant. The immediate needs will be to house men while these homes are being built.

It is more than likely that the hotels at Kittery Point will be the first taken. These will be used to care for the men coming to the navy yard and action will probably be taken within a week.

TO FILL SERVICE
FLAG WITH
500 STARS

A live, enthusiastic, determined squad of sailors are making a "win the war" drive for 500 men for the U. S. Naval Reserves in this section of the First Naval District, opening in Dover today. Four singers will put over the latest song hits with a punch and also one song written by two of the sailors.

A large service flag for 500 stars, one for each man enrolled is their banner. On each star will be embroidered a man's name and the flag will go to the section commander's office, as an everlasting symbol of the splendid spirit of the men in this section.

The speakers fill every one with enthusiasm and patriotism, everything they say rings true and no audience can side-step the facts they state. Real American spirit is the outstanding feature of the recruiting rallies. The 500 men must be recruited by March 31, and that ends this unusual opportunity to enroll in the most attractive branch of the U. S. naval service.

MASS MEETING
METAL TRADES
WORKMEN

At the regular meeting of the Metal Trade Council of Portsmouth, held Friday evening, March 1, 1918, Harry L. Hartford of the Machinists' Union and president of the council, together with Richard Cooney, of the Coopers Local, were elected as delegates to attend the big labor convention to be held March 17 at Philadelphia. In all the shipbuilding industry of the Atlantic coast will be represented at this convention, and it is of such vital interest to the union workmen in Portsmouth and vicinity that a large mass meeting will be held tomorrow evening (Sunday, March 3, 1918), at 8 o'clock in Moose Hall, where speeches will be made by the representatives, so that the members of all the local labor unions will be made thoroughly acquainted with the purpose of this convention.

TWO VACANCIES
IN THE POLICE
DEPARTMENT

With the entrance of Officer Smart in the aviation service, there are two vacancies in the police force. The commissioners met Monday evening to go over applications. There was a time when there would be a stampede to secure a policeman's billet, but not so now. The desire to be a policeman is growing less every day. Other vacancies are hinted.

NOTES FROM
FREEMAN'S PT.

Engineer Roberts and his force are certainly "making the dirt fly."

Vice President Barrows was at the plant today going over more important building operations.

Engineer Army of the steam plant is planning to enlarge the same.

Fifteen more 5-ton trucks will be added to the engineering equipment.

Chief of Police Quinn has a fine looking body of men on guard duty.

The branch telephone exchange will be in operation the first of the week.

DECLINES OFFER

Mrs. Mary L. Wood of Portsmouth, federal director of fuel economies for New Hampshire, has declined an offer from the state's relations bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture to become a national organizer.

ASKS FOR BRITISH
SUBJECTS OVER AGE

The British and Canadian Recruit

ing Mission for the States of New Hampshire and Vermont would very much appreciate any British subject who is past the military age, either male or female, who would like to take up work in their vicinity to help our Mission. Letters from people willing to help in this terrible tragedy will be very much appreciated by the officers in charge of the Mission at 918 Elm street, Manchester, N. H.

NOTES FROM
THE NEWINGTON
SHIP PLANT

E. F. McDade of Seattle, Wash., has joined the staff of Manager George S. Hopkins.

Nardini and Miller of the restaurant have taken new homes in Portsmouth.

Superintendent of Hulls, H. N. Douglass, and Mrs. Churchill are passing the week-end at Bath.

The various houses situated on the grounds are being repaired.

LOCAL DASHES

The sun did good work today. Time to look up that summer home. Local auto dealers go to Boston on Monday.

The Herald office is jammed with strangers every day.

\$750 Buys Bartlett street house.

Fred Gardner, Globe Building.

Some handsome sight this morning, looking up Richards avenue.

An examination for assistant paymasters will be held on March 6.

Captain Alcker came in from the Shoals station for supplies today.

Fresh fish, oysters, meats, groceries, Brown's Market. Try us. Tel. 104.

This city is due for another barge of coal, it has been six days on the way.

The Shucker has been put in first class condition for the navy yard run.

Both the steamers Sightseer and Juliette are tied up at the Shoals dock.

Portsmouth still holds the record of the only free and open harbor north of Charleston, S. C.

\$5000 Buys 13-room brick house with all improvements. A money maker for rooms. Fred Gardner.

Now spring hats at reasonable prices. Mrs. Hodgeson's, cor. Austin and Madison streets. Tel. 126, 1w.

There was a good response being made for the call for rooms and they are all being taken. Keep up the good work.

Upholsterers of antique and modern furniture. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 570.

Nearly six inches of snow fell to open March and as it was of the damp variety it made the trees about the city especially beautiful.

Dancing at Freeman's Annex next Thursday night.

Chevrolet, 4 and 8 cyl. cars; Vello cars; Kocher, 4-cyl. trucks, autos to rent. C. E. Woods, Phone 412, bi. 127.

Al Nelson the well known Manchester boxer, is in this city, and has accepted a position here. While here he will do some training and may later do some boxing.

Lobsters and fresh fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. Jameson & Sons. Tel. 245.

The Herald announced a few days ago that broad axes and adz were wanted at the shipyards. Today a letter came from Raymond, N. H., offering a half dozen. The Herald is ready.

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